Kxecutive Bruclamation State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota, as a matter of policy, places strong emphasis on human resource development as a part of economic development; and,

WHEREAS, Our State demonstrates its interest in developing our citizens' productivity by making vocational education, training and employment services accessible to all who can benefit from such services, specifically including those who lack the skills to attain or retain employment; and,

WHEREAS, Our investment in economic development places a high priority on adequate funding for the maintenance and expansion of vocational education; and.

WHEREAS, The long history of private sector involvement in vocational education improves our ability to fill the training needs and places individuals in jobs; and,

WHEREAS, Further expansion of business, industry, labor and agriculture involvement is needed; and,

WHEREAS, Collaboration between agencies, organizations and institutions which provide vocational education wi! I increase the total impact of services; and,

WHEREAS, The American Vocational Association has designated the third week in February as National Vocational Education Week, using the theme, "Vocational Education: Creating Partnerships for Excellence"; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota State Board of Vocational Education, on behalf of the state's vocational and technical education delivery system, has launched a statewide effort to strengthen vocational education through partnerships:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 12-18, 1984, as

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

in South Dakota. ATTEST:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twentieth Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four

WILLIAM J. JAMKEOW, GOVERNOR